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1. A large airfield was east of the Angara River and between Irkutsk (52°17'N/104°18'E), Irkutsk Oblast, and Shukino (52°12'N/104°25'E), 12 km to the southeast. Single-engine planes towing gliders circled the field continually.
2. Three three-story buildings were erected on the northern perimeter of Shukino in 1940/1941. About 300 female students of the pilot school were quartered there. They marched each morning to the airfield, where they were given instructions, some on conventional planes, others on gliders. The instructors were pilot officers.

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